



## Special Prayer – April 15th, 2012

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## A prayer for the Centenary of the Sinking of the Titanic

Gracious God, We come now to remember before You The tremendous loss of life That took place when the Titanic sank One hundred years ago today.

We acknowledge that for many of us, It is simply a story that we know Through television and cinema screens. Yet every person who died was known to You. You understand how families, Businesses and towns are still affected by this loss.

We commend them to You now, As they remember the events of that terrifying night. We thank You for lessons of construction And safety that have been learned from that tragedy.

We pray for those whose livelihood depends upon the sea. Give them wisdom as they make judgements and decisions, And keep them safely in Your care. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Who befriended fishermen, And said to the waves, 'Peace be still.' Amen

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